

LUNCHEON SET

A luncheon or tea set consisting of a tablecloth and six napkins would be a suitable gift for the friend who entertains. The tablecloth may be any size desired although one yard is generally the accepted size. In each corner a crocheted fillet motif is inserted. The motif is repeated in the napkins. The tablecloth,

DESK SET AS GIFT

A desk set would make a very attractive gift. The foundation is of cardboard. The decorations can be cut from colored paper or cretonne with a transparent material. Cretonne can also be used, if desired, and the napkins are edged with a tiny picot.

PICTURE FRAME

For the picture frame, a foundation of cardboard is used. Decorations from colored paper or cretonne can be used. If desired, the frame may be covered with black sateen, with applied birds or flowers. The material is glued on.



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Follies Beauty and Hubby Are Strong for Simple Life



BOSTON—Mrs. Daniel Caswell, formerly Jessie Reed, "Follies" beauty, is anxious to get settled in her own home in Cleveland. She and her husband, scion of a wealthy Cleveland family, have decided to settle down to a simple life. Mrs. Caswell will leave the "Follies" when the show reaches Cleveland, her new home town, she says.

Villa Once Ordered Obregon Killed; But Changed His Mind When Present Mexican President Showed No Fear

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 4.—"I am a farmer; I wish this war was over so I could go back to my ranch," President Obregon used to tell his brother officers. When the revolution broke out General Obregon was a prosperous farmer at Huatabampo.

General Obregon lost his right arm above the elbow at Celaya in 1915. His forces had taken ground in which Villa had planted mines. Suddenly there was an explosion and one of Obregon's arms flew off. At the hospital next day he learned his men were becoming uneasy, so he left his bed and took personal charge again. Before this mishap Obregon was a fine physical specimen and an athlete.

Obregon's views on war are contained in these words: "War is savagery broken loose, and if civilization is to endure, it must be eliminated as a measure of composing international quarrels and harmonizing international interests."

Obregon made his fortune organizing the garvanzo (pea) growers of Sonora and thereby causing them to demand better prices for their product. His organization was copied after the American farmers' marketing organizations in California. He had not only made himself rich, but made all his neighbors prosperous.

President Obregon was once ordered shot by Pancho Villa. Obregon was sent to Chihuahua by General Carranza after the success of the Carranza revolution to try to induce Villa to take part in a meeting of generals in Mexico City. Villa received Obregon and his officers and arranged a big affair in their honor. As they were returning Villa had Obregon's train stopped at Escandon and returned to Chihuahua. Arriving at Villa's Palace, a mansion Villa had commandeered, Villa told Obregon he was going to kill him. Obregon seemed so willing to die for the revolution that Villa had finally decided not to let the squad he had sent for execute Obregon. Instead they took supper together and then Obregon danced the evening away.

At Culican in 1913, at a dinner given by Carranza, General Obregon entertained the guests by performing athletic stunts. Although a big man physically, he could balance himself

on one arm and stand that way indefinitely. That was before he lost his right arm. Another stunt was to stand and jump over the top of a high chair. At that time he was one of the leading generals of the Carranza revolution.

General Obregon once fired a young fellow from the army whom he had put into a position of trust for stealing money. The man pleaded with General Obregon not to disgrace him, and finally threatened to commit suicide. On this proposition Obregon offered to reinstate the young officer, restore his good name and give him an officers' burial with military honors. The fellow didn't accept.

Obregon was an inveterate cigarette smoker. He quit the habit after he became a commander and director of large bodies of men when on a desert where cigarettes were scarce. He did it for two reasons, first, to increase his efficiency, and second, to show that he was master of himself. He pledged to himself to never smoke another cigarette.

Cochise Teachers Are Best Paid In Arizona, Says Case

The total combined annual salaries of the superintendents, principals and teachers of the state amounts to \$3,713,264.55, with Maricopa county taking the lead with \$1,087,285.53, according to the Arizona educational directory. The directory was prepared by C. O. Case, state superintendent of public instruction, and lists the school officers of the state as well as the school teachers, giving their address and salaries. The directory also contains the rules and regulations governing the certification of teachers for the state.

The lowest monthly salary paid a one room rural school teacher in the state is \$100, the highest salary being \$175, while the city schools furnish a higher average. The feature is made of the one room rural school where the teacher shortage was felt in the opening of the fall term. According to the record the average rate of increase in salary of the one room rural school teacher in Maricopa county is 29 per cent, while the averages in other counties are: Apache 27 per cent; Cochise 61½ per cent; Coconino 25 per cent; Gila 45 per cent; Graham 27 per cent; Greenlee 34 per cent; Mohave 37 per cent; Navajo 25 per cent; Pima 20 per cent; Pinal 45 per cent; Santa Cruz 17 per cent; Yavapai 21 per cent and Yuma 24 per cent.

It has been announced that \$400,000 monthly will be needed to run the League of Nations next year.

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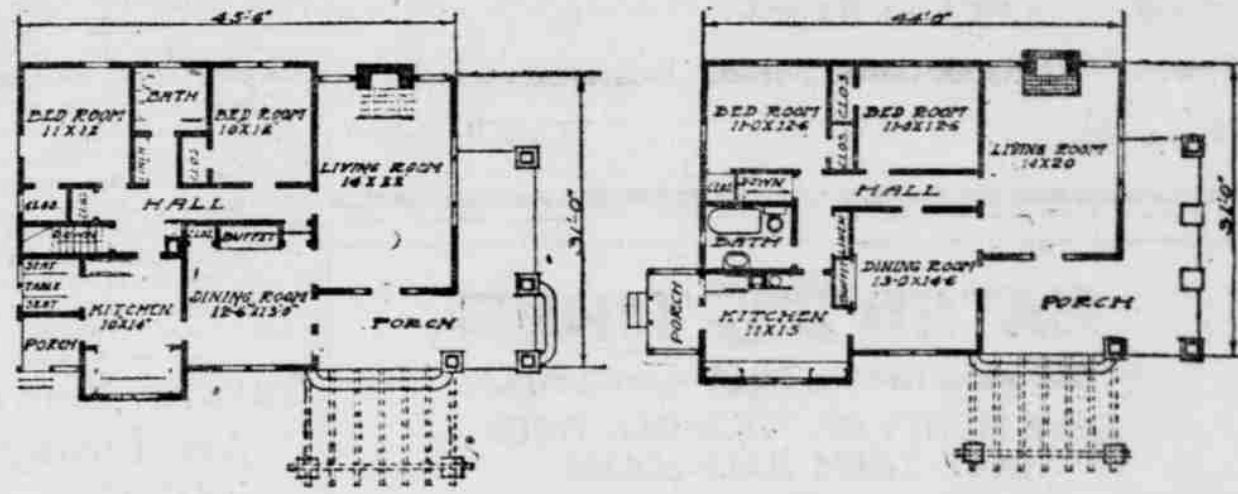
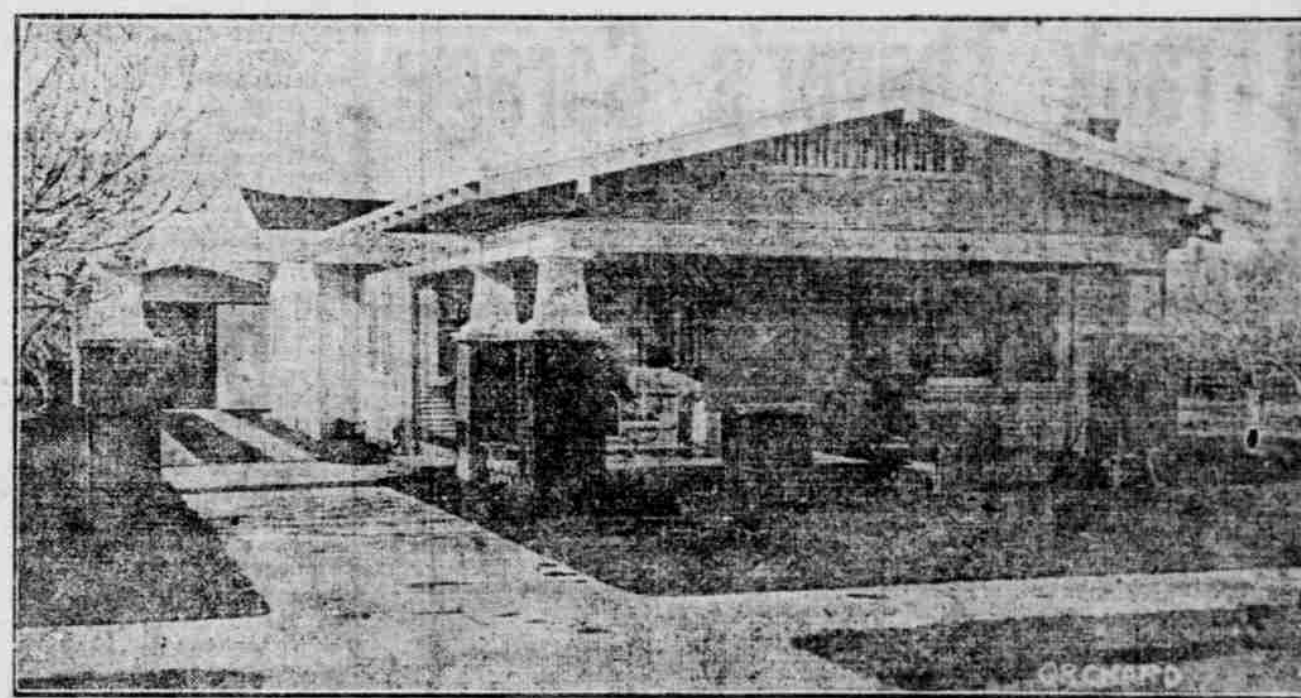
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